



*Lpw*

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
Group Art Unit 1761

In re

Patent Application of

Daniel Bartnick, et al.

Application No. 10/706,309

Confirmation No.: 5759

Filed: November 12, 2003

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

"METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF  
NATURAL BOTANICAL EXTRACTS"

I, Mary A. Kocaja, hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the US Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date of my signature.

*Mary A. Kocaja*  
Signature

*2/14/06*  
Date of Signature

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT  
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.97(b)

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner's attention is directed to the reference which is listed on the attached Form PTO/SB/08A and/or PTO/SB/08B and a copy of non-U.S. patent reference is attached.

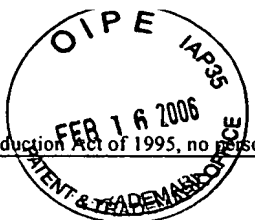
Citation of this reference is respectfully requested.

No concession is made that this document is prior art, and Applicant expressly reserves the right to antedate the document as may be appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

*Gregory J. Hartwig*  
Gregory J. Hartwig  
Reg. No. 46,761

File No. 085516-9011-01  
Michael Best & Friedrich LLP  
100 East Wisconsin Avenue  
Suite 3300  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53202-4108  
414.271.6560  
X:\clientb\085516\9011\VA1446878.1



Substitute for form 1449/PTO

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 1

**Complete if Known**

|                        |                   |
|------------------------|-------------------|
| Application Number     | 10/706,309        |
| Filing Date            | November 12, 2003 |
| First Named Inventor   | Daniel Bartnick   |
| Group Art Unit         | 1761              |
| Examiner Name          | Not Yet Assigned  |
| Attorney Docket Number | 085516-9011-01    |

**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

| Examiner<br>Initials | U.S. Patent Document Number | Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document | Date of Publication of Cited Document |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |
|                      |                             |   |                                       |

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

| Examiner<br>Initials | Country<br>Code | Foreign Patent Document<br>Number | Name of Patentee or<br>Applicant of Cited Document | Date of Publication of Cited<br>Document | Translation | English<br>Abstract |
|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|-------------|---------------------|
|                      | GB              | 1 195 634                         | Hess   | 6/17/1970                                |             |                     |
|                      |                 |                                   |  |  |             |                     |
|                      |                 |                                   |  |  |             |                     |
|                      |                 |                                   |  |  |             |                     |
|                      |                 |                                   |  |  |             |                     |

X:\clientb\085516\9011\A1446588.1

|                       |                    |
|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Examiner<br>Signature | Date<br>Considered |
|-----------------------|--------------------|

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 0231.

DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.